

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Paul Higginbotham,

Complainant,

vs.

Pacific Bell Telephone Company,

Defendant.

Case 01-03-028
(Filed March 7, 2001)

Izu Klepper,

Complainant,

vs.

Pacific Bell Telephone Company,

Defendant.

Case 01-05-059
(Filed May 17, 2001)

Asha Goldberg,

Complainant,

vs.

Pacific Bell Telephone Company,

Defendant.

Case 01-05-068
(Filed May 28, 2001)

Raymond A. Chamberlin,

Complainant,

vs.

Pacific Bell Telephone Company,

Defendant.

Case 01-07-023
(Filed July 16, 2001)

Edward H. Joseph,

Complainant,

vs.

Pacific Bell Telephone Company,

Defendant.

Case 01-11-008
(Filed November 5, 2001)

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING
NOTING DUE DATE FOR STATUS REPORT AND
SETTING DATE FOR RESPONSE TO LETTER**

1. Status Report

The Joint Status Report on this consolidated complaint case is due January 28, 2002. I expect Pacific Bell Telephone Company (Pacific Bell) to take the lead in assembling this report. This report should state the points on which the parties agree, the points on which the parties disagree, and how the parties recommend that this case proceed. If one or more parties think a formal hearing is necessary, it would be useful for the party to state in this report what factual issues require a hearing and what evidence will be presented.

2. Letter

Chief Administrative Law Judge Carew received the attached letter from a complainant. Such communications implicate the Commission's ex parte rules, found in Rule 7 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. All parties are strongly urged to review these rules and to comply with the rules at all times.

Pacific Bell may file and serve a response to the letter no later than January 28, 2002.

IT IS SO RULED.

Dated January 16, 2002, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ Maribeth A. Bushey
Maribeth A. Bushey
Administrative Law Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I have by mail this day served a true copy of the original attached Administrative Law Judge's Ruling Noting Due Date for Status Report and Setting Date for Response to Letter on all parties of record in this proceeding or their attorneys of record.

Dated January 16, 2002, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ Antonina V. Swansen
Antonina V. Swansen

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